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Seek the
TRUE
Treasure



And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.

Matthew 1:21



SEEK THE TRUE TREASURE

Dear Treasure Hunters,

Our world is filled with treasure hunters who are seeking for hidden, buried, or missing treasure. But how many are looking for that which will last; that which will transfer or that which will endure eternity?

Proverbs 21:6 The getting of treasures by a lying tongue is a vanity tossed to and fro of them that seek death.

What a wonderful warning. There are so many who have lost fortunes, invested in fake "get rich quick" ventures that we should be very cautious when it seems that there is something for nothing. Generally when something seems "too good to be true" it probably is NOT TRUE! And, we have the scriptural warning in addition to the stories that abound.

But where do we find a tongue that is NOT LYING? How can we be sure of the veracity of what we are told? Is there someplace that is the deposit of a sure truth?

Treasure is not just happened upon. There is the gathering of information, digging into records, and assimilating of data before a sunken or hidden treasure is found. God's Word, the Bible, is like that. We must dig deeply into its recesses to find hidden truths. We must gather the information needed to bring together the facts in a relevant manner.

God tells us some interesting things in Isaiah 45:3 "And I will give thee the treasures of darkness, and hidden riches of secret places, that thou mayest know that I, the LORD, which call thee by thy name, am the God of Israel." Yes, He is speaking of Cyrus, but the principle is that God opens eyes (even in the dark) so treasures can be found! And the purpose is so that people will realize who is the true GOD! Yes, God reveals the treasures of himself. He is a treasure that is revealed to men.

One of the ways He reveals Himself is through a likeness, a picture. Though limited and perhaps not a full representation, we see much about people from their picture. When we were traveling during the recent Educators' Convention tour, time and again we were required to provide an ID "with picture". So too when we

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Only a handful of these kids were given the chance to learn how to read and accept Jesus Christ as their Savior.

How about the rest of them?

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Testimony of a Graduate MY M.O.ST. EXPERIENCE



Honestly, I've never thought of myself as being one of Muntinlupa's Outstanding Students. The idea eluded me. Before last February, I've always thought of my school life as a year-round loop of PACEs, Convention, and the CBA Student Council. After being announced as one of Muntinlupa's Ten Outstanding Students, the worst possible idea just popped into my head: "God has just handed me a burning chunk of coal!" At that time, it was too hot for me to handle. I did not want to touch it because I was afraid that when given a distinction, I might one again turn into that arrogant, self-centered monster who only remembers God when he loses everything. It was an ugly blotch in my past that "I" could never seem to wash off. By the grace of God, He has suppressed that monster.

Through His wisdom I found that being a Muntinlupa Outstanding Student did not mean that I was good, but rather, I wasn't bad. MOST was not being better than everybody else; it's about being the best student God wanted me to be. Each of the ten students has his and her own unique strengths, weakness, temperaments, and points of view. We were all strong in our own unique, God-given way, and our scores and ranks but a window through which I saw just how special He made each of us. MOST has been a blessing – I've made new friends, learned "Polka sa Nayon", kept my stand, shared my testimony, had the time of my life, and saw God work in me through others.

Mr. Ram Verba Salazar
Graduate '09
Christ Baptist Academy, Muntinlupa City

EDUCATORS' CONVENTION

REGISTRATION FEES:

BEAT THE EARLY BIRD

January 4 - March 31, 2010

Php650.00 per delegate

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April 1 - June 30, 2010

Php800.00 per delegate

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August 19-20, 2010	-	Manila
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regarding VENUES.



The Arrival

God had entered the world as a baby.

Yet, were someone to chance upon the sheep stable on the outskirts of Bethlehem that morning, what a peculiar scene they would behold.

The stable stinks like all stables do. The stench of urine, dung, and sheep reeks pungently in the air. The ground is hard, the hay scarce. Cobwebs cling

to the ceiling and a mouse scurries across the dirt floor.

A more lowly place of birth could not exist.

Off to one side sit a group of shepherds. They sit silently on the floor; perhaps perplexed, perhaps in awe, no doubt in amazement. Their night watch had been interrupted by an explosion of light from heaven and a symphony of angels. God goes to those who have time to hear him—so on this cloudless night he went to simple shepherds.

Near the young mother sits the weary father. If anyone is dozing, he is. He can't remember the last time he sat down. And now that the excitement has subsided a bit, now that Mary and the baby are comfortable, he leans against the wall of the stable and feels his eyes grow heavy. He still hasn't figured it all out. The mystery of the event puzzles him. But he hasn't the energy to wrestle with the questions. What's important is that the baby is fine and that Mary is safe. As sleep comes he remembers the name the angel told him to use ... Jesus. "We will call him Jesus."

Wide awake is Mary. My, how young she looks! Her head rests on the soft leather of Joseph's saddle. The pain has been eclipsed by wonder. She looks into the face of the baby. Her son. Her Lord. His Majesty. At this point in history, the human being who best understands who God is and what he is doing is a teenage girl in a smelly stable. She can't take her eyes off him. Somehow Mary knows she is holding God. So this is he. She remembers the words of the angel. "His kingdom will never end." (Luke 1:33)

He looks like anything but a king. His face is prunish and red. His cry, though strong and healthy, is still the helpless and piercing cry of a baby. And he is absolutely dependent upon Mary for his well-being.

Majesty in the midst of the mundane. Holiness in the filth of sheep manure and sweat. Divinity entering the world on the floor of a stable, through the womb of a teenager and in the presence of a carpenter.

She touches the face of the infant-God. How long was your journey!

This baby had overlooked the universe. These rags keeping him warm were the robes of eternity. His golden throne room had been abandoned in favor of a dirty sheep pen. And worshiping angels had been replaced with kind but bewildered shepherds.

Meanwhile, the city hums. The merchants are unaware that God has visited their planet. The innkeeper would never believe that he had just sent God into the cold. And the people would scoff at anyone who told them the Messiah lay in the arms of a teenager on the outskirts of their village. They were all too busy to consider the possibility.

Those who missed His Majesty's arrival that night missed it not because of evil acts or malice; no, they missed it because they simply weren't looking.

Little has changed in the last two thousand years, has it?

Cast of Characters From God Came Near
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Max Lucado



2010
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April 12-21, 2010

Baguio

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Pacdal, Baguio City
(074)442-7079

Butuan

Good Shepherd Christian Academy
340 4th St., Guingona Subd., Capitol Site
Butuan City, Agusan del Norte
(085)341-4404

Palawan

What the Bible Says Christian
Academy
San Pedro, National Highway,
Puerto Princesa City, Palawan
(048)434-6412

Davao

Green Meadow Christian Academy of Davao
Purok 11, Green Meadow Subd.,
Ma-a (near GAP Farm)
Davao City, Davao
(082)244-0125

Iloilo

New Generation Christian Academy
NBBC Cpd., Bgy. Cocherro, Molo
Iloilo City, Iloilo
(033)336-6891

Makati

Bethany Baptist Academy
1716 Dian cor. Emilia Sts., Palanan,
Makati City
(02)833-4576

April 26-May 5, 2010

Cagayan de Oro

Shekinah Glory Christian Academy
J. R. Borja cor. Corrales Sts.,
Cagayan de Oro City, Misamis Oriental
(08822)728-333

Iligan

Bethany Baptist Academy
Phase II Doña Maria Subd.,
Baraas, Tubod,
Iligan City, Lanao del Norte
(063)221-8133

Bacolod

Destiny Christian Academy
No. 4 4th Lacson Sts.
Bacolod City, Negros Occidental
(034)434-9851

Lucena

Good News Christian School
Agila St., Calmar Homes
Kanaluran Mayao, Lucena City
Quezon Province
(042)661-4022

Pasay

Golden Treasure Baptist Academy
2909 E. Rodriguez Street, Malibay
Pasay City, Metro Manila
(02)854-2913

May 12-May 21, 2010

Cebu

Bob Hughes Christian Academy
55 Katipunan Street
Cebu City, Cebu
(032)261-1900

Bicol

Lighthouse Baptist Academy of Iriga
Ezzer Foundation Cpr., Zone 3
San Nicolas, Iriga City, Camarines Sur
(054)299-2826

Pampanga

Mt. View Baptist Bible Academy
San Pablo St., Mt. View Subd.,
Balibago, Angeles City
Pampanga
(045)323-5831

Cavite

Seed of Wisdom Learning Center, Inc.
Blk. 6 Lot 1 Camella Homes Subd. 3,
Bacoar, Cavite
(046)434-1123

Caloocan

Anchor of Life Academy
117-A P. Zamora Street
Caloocan City, Metro Manila
(02)288-4389

San Pedro

Christian Bible Baptist Academy
Blk. 2 Lot 6-8 St. Francis Homes 2
San Pedro, Laguna
(02)868-6659

May 17-May 26, 2010

Bohol

Royal Christian School
#9 Hontanosas St.,
Tagbilaran, Bohol
(038)411-2138

PATS

February 8 - 19, 2010
March 1 - 12, 2010
June 21 - July 2, 2010
July 19 - 30, 2010
September 6 - 17, 2010
November 15 - 26, 2010

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June 7 - 11, 2010
August 2 - 6, 2010
October 4 - 8, 2010

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Davao City



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168 delegates
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Bacolod City

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64 schools
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13 schools
66 delegates
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Puerto Princesa City



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**EDUCATORS'
CONVENTION**
"Making a difference, one child at a time."

what they had to say...



Bro. Danny Thomas playing a requested medley

I enjoyed the music. I really thank and praise God for Sir Danny Thomas for all the songs that he rendered to us. I would like to hear him again on the next convention.

- Baptist Educators School of Tomorrow

The topics in this convention and the workshops were really helpful to the old and new attendees. Great job! God bless your team!

- Holy Word Christian School

Always a good job! I've been in 2 conventions, and God blessed me through everyone who made these conventions possible. God bless you more!

- Abraham's Flock Christian Academy

I thank and praise God for people like the speakers and SOT staff who make a stand in keeping this curriculum in the Philippines. Truly, I have seen how God makes the curriculum a treasure.

- Blessed Hope Christian Academy (Marikina)

Make it a compulsory requirement for LHA parents/guardians even if you have to incorporate it in the registration fees. I think it is a must for parents like me.

- Mr. Geronimo V. Sudario (LHA Parent)



This is, for me, one of the best Educators' Convention I have ever attended. Topics are so relevant to situations in the learning center. Guys, you are doing really good! Keep it up!

- Bride of Jesus Christ (Nueva Ecija)



Rev. Erich Santos in one of his sessions

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Seek the TRUE TREASURE *For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. Matthew 6:21*



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Convention**



Seek the TRUE Treasure

Junior Student Convention

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After deadline	Php 800.00
Pastors, Administrators, Sponsors & Guests	
On or before deadline	Php 300.00
After deadline	Php 500.00
Tickets per day	Php 75.00

SCHEDULES & DEADLINES

*Pampanga	January 11-12, 2010	(December 11, 2009)
*Baguio	January 13-15, 2010	(December 11, 2009)
*Tagaytay	January 18-20, 2010	(December 18, 2009)
*Manila	January 26-29, 2010	(December 18, 2009)
*Cebu	February 1-2, 2010	(January 8, 2010)
*Iloilo	February 4-5, 2010	(January 8, 2010)
*Cagayan de Oro	February 23-26, 2010	(January 22, 2010)

SEEK THE TRUE TREASURE From the Executive Director

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see humanity we see the "likeness and image" of God. Now corrupted with the fallen nature, sometimes it is harder to recognize, but it is still there. Often, the fallen nature obscures the treasure, but it is still there.

Those who hold to the fallacy of the evolutionary source of humanity have no basis for a "higher" force at work in men. There is no morality or basis for ethics without the divine touch of the Creator! Every evil thing is only natural to the "animal" and therefore a moral code is based on the majority of the population. With this in mind, it is no wonder that there are people who desire to populate the world so they can have the "majority" vote!

No, the child that is brought to us for training, is to be trained in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord"! (Eph 4:4) There is a foundation for humanity's ethics. We are set apart from the animal creation. We were formed, not just called into being! Each child is therefore a TREASURE made in God's likeness. It may take effort to remove the corruption and corrosion that the hiding has produced.

Often it takes a team to find true treasure. The team is critical as expertise is brought together to determine the best ways to discover the true treasure. There are those who can see special needs, special opportunities, and special gifts. There are some who have worked on situations like this before and some who bring new insights. In every case, the true treasure is worth the effort.

In addition, there must be a determination to keep up the search even when it seems that no progress is being made. Years are often spent before a treasure is found. Time must be invested as well as effort for true treasure. How thrilling it is when the investment of time pays off. The evidence is so rewarding.

While each one plays a part, there is no doubt that there is a Master project manager who is coordinating the whole effort. His oversight and wisdom is the key to the entire operation. He has been doing this for many treasures and many years. He has a way to see treasure that some may overlook. He understands the hidden treasures better than anyone. Nothing slips by Him and no aspect of value is beyond His vision. He knows what no one else does.

Yes, each child, made uniquely by God's own hand and in His image, is a true treasure! We who work together, parents, staff, and children also, must realize that His hand is making something of value even more valuable. God is the master artist, designer and engineer who will take a creation and make it greater. His Word, hidden in the heart by a treasure building system of education which we call School of Tomorrow, a wonderful place for Him to dwell.

Thanks for being a part of this system, this treasure in its own right. Let us see it for its beauty and usefulness. Let us use it wisely, boldly, and proudly. Let us thank God for it.

Yours for the treasure of Boys and Girls trained in His Character.

Del Hooge
Executive Director
School of Tomorrow, Philippines

*Thy testimonies have I taken
as an heritage forever...*

Psalm 119:111

our Heritage,
our Hope

*...upon which thou hast
caused me to hope.*

Psalm 119:49

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